



Humboldt Bay Trail's south segment opens with a celebration

Activities all day, all over & Trail Stewards workday

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
HUMBOLDT BAY – The eagerly awaited Grand Opening Celebration for the County of Humboldt's Humboldt Bay Trail South segment, connecting the cities of Eureka and Arcata, will be held Saturday, June 28.

This segment of the Humboldt Bay Trail, which is also part of the Great Redwood Trail, will be celebrated through a full day of activities, concluding with a trail party at the Adorni Center, located at 1011 Waterfront Dr. in Eureka, from 3 to 6 p.m.



Adorni Center celebration
The celebration will include music, food trucks, bike valet, rentals and tune-ups and information tables hosted by trail supporting organizations.

A brief program will recognize the decades of work that made the trail possible, with remarks by Senate President Pro Tempore Mike McGuire, Great Redwood Trail Agency Executive Director Elaine Hogan and Humboldt County Deputy Public Works Director of Environmental Services Hank Seemann.

Following the recognition program, attendees will have the opportunity to dance to the musical stylings of Pandemonium Jones. Refreshments will be available.

Pre-celebration events

Trail activities prior to the Adorni Center event include two morning trail cleanups, a one-way skate date for roller skaters, skateboarders and scooter riders



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from Arcata to Eureka, a bike ride to the celebration and a "map your own" run activity and be entered to win raffle prizes.

For people who want to ride the bus or who only want to ride/walk/roll/run one way, the Humboldt Transit Authority will provide a shuttle every 30 minutes between Arcata and Eureka, and the Humboldt Trails

Council will provide a bike-hauling vehicle shuttle.

To learn more about the Adorni Center event, shuttle schedules and trail activities, please visit tinyurl.com/trailparty. For more information, please contact Carol Vander Meer at cvandermeer@rcaa.org or Colin Fiske at colin@transportationpriorities.org.

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Arcata passes \$110M FY2025-26 budget

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ARCATA — The Arcata City Council unanimously spent more than a tenth of a billion dollars last week, adopting a \$110.7 million budget for the 2025–26 fiscal year, finalizing funding priorities across city operations, infrastructure and economic development.

The adopted budget follows three study sessions in April and May, and represents a 26.4 percent increase over the previous year, with major boosts to public works and capital improvement projects.

Over \$60 million has been earmarked for infrastructure improvements, including roads, water systems and stormwater

upgrades in support of the city's goals and priority projects – and there are a lot of those.

Priority projects include homelessness reduction, Valley West upgrades, mental health and social services, public safety, tribal relations, economic development, future planning, climate change, local arts promotion, parks improvements, safe streets, relations with Cal Poly Humboldt, Spanish translation of council meetings and diversity, equity and inclusion.

Wide-ranging programs across town are economic development, Redwood Park basketball court renovation,

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Cannabis permits canceled as tax debts linger

Daniel Mintz
MAD RIVER UNION

HUMBOLDT – Humboldt County continues to revoke cannabis permits due to non-payment of Measure S excise taxes but some debts are being addressed through payment plans and some property buyers are willing to assume the tax debts of previous cultivators.

The county's Board of Supervisors approved eight more cannabis permit revocations at its June 17 meeting.

There were nine permits recommended to be revoked but the ninth was removed from the list because it's in the process of being transferred to a new owner who's agreed to pay the Measure S debt.

There have been other cases of that and planning staff described three examples of it, with properties in Bridgeville and Petrolia.

In two of the three examples, Measure S tax debts of \$68,610 and \$9,830 have been paid in full. The third property buyer has entered into a tax debt payment plan.

Supervisor Steve Madrone said revocations must proceed but there's a simple way to hold them off.

"There is an out here and that is to develop a payment



Steve Madrone

plan," he said. "That's kicking it down the road, it gives time to try and hold on to that permit, make payments and finish that off by the end of the year."

Yet Madrone questioned the very existence of Measure S.

"Should we have ever had a Measure S? I don't believe so. But is in place and it is there," he said.

During a public comment period, cultivators described financial hardships that tax debts contribute to.

Southern Humboldt cannabis farmer Craig Johnson described Measure S as a dysfunctional tax.

He noted the size of one of the permits being revoked

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Interested persons who:

- are at least eighteen years old
- live within the boundaries of the McKinleyville Union School District
- are registered voters

are welcome to apply for the vacancies.

All applications become public record upon receipt by the district. Candidates will be interviewed in open session by the current members of the Board at the regularly scheduled meeting on August 13, 2025.

Please, contact the McKinleyville Union School District Office at 2275 Central Ave, McKinleyville, CA, 707-839-1549, or visit our website at mckusd.org for an application. Applications must be received by August 4, 2025 at 4:00pm.

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COCKTAILS AND CHARCUTERIE The Gene Lucas Community Center invites the public to a night of Summer Cocktails and Charcuterie, Thursday, July 17 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Gene Lucas Community Center, 3000 Newburg Rd., Fortuna. The event is a summer how to: learn to make summer cocktails taught by Humboldt Distillery and learn charcuterie techniques to impress your future party and event guests! Admission is \$65. This event is 21 and over. Call (707) 725-3300 to purchase tickets.

NON-DRIVING OPTIONS A free public talk with national advocate and author Anna Zivarts: “When driving is not an option,” takes place Thursday, July 17 at 7 p.m. at Arcata’s D Street Neighborhood Center, 1301 D St. A discussion on the non-drivers in every community, the importance of meeting the transportation needs of non-drivers, how communities can work better for non-drivers (and everyone else), and valuing the expertise of nondrivers. For details contact colin@transportationpriorities.org.

NHM SUMMER DAY CAMPS It is time for Kids Summer Day Camp at the Natural History Museum of Cal Poly Humboldt, July 21 to Aug. 8. Camps are for those ages 6 to 9. Dig Down In The Dirt our first week, explore fields of science that rely on the ground to help us understand the world through volcanoes, rocks, dinosaurs and fossils. Crawl into Bug Mania for our second week and get up close with pollinators, arachnids, beetles and other insects through engaging, hands-on activities with preserved specimens and living stick bugs! Fly into the cosmos for Amazing Astronomy for week three. Registration is open; for date and times visit natmus.humboldt.edu/summer-youth-camps-2025 or call (707) 826-4480

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Northtown Books leads annual search for the elusive Waldo

NORTHTOWN BOOKS
ARCATA – Where’s Waldo? In Arcata, of course! Find Waldo Local has become a beloved summertime event here in Humboldt County.

This year, Candlewick Press and the American Booksellers Association are again teaming up with 325 independent bookstores nationwide, including Northtown Books, for some hide-and-seek fun designed to encourage residents to visit local businesses in their community.

There is no charge to participate, and the hunt lasts for the entire month of July.

Families love joining the scavenger hunt to find the iconic children’s book character, with his red-and-white-striped-shirt and black glasses, hidden in the Arcata Library and 29 local businesses, including Adventure’s Edge, Bubbles, Arcata Artisans and Bell & Hook.

Find Waldo Local is a wonderful way to explore local shops and meet your local merchants.

We at Northtown Books look forward to Find Waldo Local every July. It’s a wonderful way to interact with our fellow merchants and with the community.

It’s fun to hide Waldo and to welcome people into our store for a fun activity.

We are always grateful to all the businesses that generously share their time and resources to make it happen.

To join the fun, people can simply pick up a “Find Waldo Local in Arcata!” stamp card at any of the participating stores or at the library.

With each miniature Waldo they spot, searchers get their card stamped or signed by the participating shop.

Eagle-eyed hunters can also look for Waldo’s special 2025 red and white striped magnifying glass in Northtown Books!

Collecting stamps or signatures at 25 or more locations will entitle diligent seekers entry into a grand-prize drawing for Waldo books and other prizes, including gift certificates and other unique items from participating businesses.

All participants are welcome to attend the prize drawing at Northtown Books on Saturday, Aug. 2 at 2 p.m.

For more information about hunting for Waldo in Arcata, call Northtown Books at (707) 822-2834 or email info@northtownbooks.com.



BREAKFAST AND BOOKS
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GRANGE SCHOLARSHIPS Dow’s Prairie Grange #505 presented their annual \$400 scholarships to three gifted students at their June 18 monthly meeting. Pictured are Emily Rodrigues, Mackenzie Frick, Amira Wanden and Judy Byers, chairman of the Grange Women’s Activities Committee. Graduates from McKinleyville High School, Emily plans to study Elementary Education at Cal Poly Humboldt and Mackenzie will attend College of the Redwoods with plans to become a radiology technician. Amira Wanden graduated from Arcata High School and will study mechanical engineering at San Jose State University. All three students had significant community service on their resumes and Amira was also an Ambassador Girl Scout and active member of the Rotary Interact Club. Each scholarship was for \$400. SUBMITTED PHOTO



VALEDICTORIANS OF ORICK Orick Elementary School held their 8th grade graduation on June 17, 2025. Ellen Brown, president of the Trinidad Lions Club, presented Salutatorian Nathan Richard \$50 and Valedictorian Calvin Woods \$100. Also presented at the graduation was the George Herd Citizenship award. Calvin Woods received this award. Calvin proved himself as a caring, hardworking person and giving person to his peers, teachers and his community. His willingness to go the extra mile, without being asked, was evident all year long. Calvin is a great role model for the younger students. SUBMITTED PHOTOS



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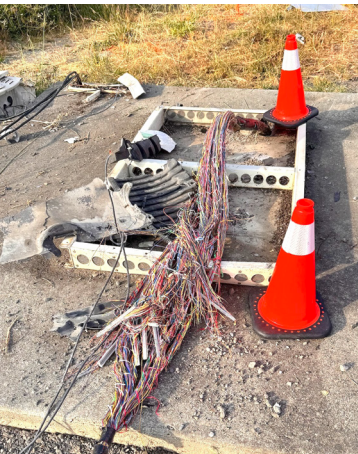
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Crash near new roundabout

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ARCATA – A northbound car ran off Old Arcata Road just before the new roundabout at Jacoby Creek Road Sunday, June 15, with the accident reported at 4:44 p.m.
According to the California Highway Patrol, a white Mercedes driven by a 35-year-old man left the road for unknown reasons at the southern approach to the roundabout.
The vehicle took out a breakaway traffic sign, then plowed into and sheared away a telephone control box which lacked any protective barrier.
The detached box then slid northbound into a light pole, breaking its decorative base, leaving a bare pole and coming to rest in the sidewalk.
The driver, who was uninjured, remained on scene until authorities arrived. He was cited for having an expired registration and no insurance, and released.

WIPEOUT Crash damage at the accident scene.
PHOTOS VIA PAUL NICHOLSON

Foster a couple of sweet guys – walkable cuddler Rick and quiet, playful Paxon

Would you consider fostering a dog if you are not ready to commit to adopting? Most of the dogs at the shelter are available for foster. If the dog is up for adoption, we need the foster to be able to bring the dog to the shelter if someone wants to meet him or her.

In contrast, the dogs that need a medical foster so that they can recover from an injury or illness do not need to be on call and can stay put until they are healed.

Rick is one of our dogs that is in need of a medical foster. Rick came to the shelter with a heartworm infection. Heartworm requires a quiet environment for the recovery period and the shelter is not that place. His treatment will take about three months. It starts with a course of antibiotics and steroids, during which Rick can still engage in normal exercise. Once he receives the actual treatment for the heartworm, he will need to stay very quiet. He will be able to go for short potty walks, but no play.

Fortunately for Rick (and his foster!), cuddling is allowed. Rick is a great cuddler, and would be happy to share your couch or a blanket on the lawn. He gives kisses and will rest his

head on you if allowed. Rick is an easy walker and knows Sit.

If you are wondering about expenses, all of the veterinary costs are paid for through the Emergency Medical Fund! This is the fund that our holiday fundraiser benefits.

The shelter can provide supplies to the foster such as a crate, blankets, toys and food if desired. Some fosters like to provide dog food and treats, but that is not required.

Rick is about five years old and weighs about 65 pounds. He will be able to be left during the day if you have work or plans for a day trip. Come meet Rick and see if he fits in to your



DOG TOWN
Mara Segal



Paxon.
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summer plans! He will be deeply grateful.

Another dog that we would consider an easy keeper is Paxon. Paxon is an older fellow at nine years old. He is a very easy walk and loves to play fetch.

Paxon hasn't shown much interest in our treats, but he comes in for pets when walking. He loves his time in the play yard and is a quiet guy in the kennel while he waits for his volunteer time.

Paxon weighs about 50 pounds and has the nice thick coat of a border collie. At nine he still has lots of good years ahead of him. Come meet Paxon and see if he's the one for you. He is neutered, micro-chipped, vaccinated and ready to go home with you today!

Please call the Humboldt County Animal Shelter at (707) 840-9132 for more information



Rick.
BRIDGET NICHOLS | DOGTOWN

Behold the birds on land & sea; work Wigi wetlands

MARSH TOUR Friends of the Arcata Marsh (FOAM) is sponsoring a free tour of the Arcata Marsh & Wildlife Sanctuary on Saturday, June 28. Meet leader Barbara Reisman at 2 p.m. in the lobby of the Interpretive Center on South G Street for a 90-minute, rain-or-shine tour that will focus on plants. (707) 826-2359

BIRDING AT THE MARSH Join Redwood Region Audubon Society for a free guided field trip at the Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary on Saturday, June 28 from 8:30 to 11 a.m. Bring your binoculars and meet trip leader Ken Burton at the end of South I Street (Klopp Lake) in Arcata for incredible views of Humboldt Bay, easy-to-walk trails and a great diversity of birdlife.



WIGI WETLANDS WORKDAY Join Redwood Region Audubon Society on Saturday, June 28 from 9 to 11 a.m. for a Wigi Wetlands Volunteer Workday. Help create bird-friendly native habitats and restore a section of the bay trail by removing invasive plants and trash. The trail section is located behind the Bayshore Mall and volunteers will meet in the parking lot directly behind Walmart. We will provide tools, gloves, and packaged snacks. Contact Eric Nelson etn3115@icloud.com with questions or more information.

MADAKET BIRDING TOUR This summer, Godwit Days are offering three Birding on the Madaket boat tours. Register for a two-hour fundraising birding tour aboard the historic Madaket vessel and explore Humboldt Bay in Eureka. Tours will be led by Godwit Days boardmembers and expert bird guides on Sundays, July 20, Aug. 24 and Sept. 21. The Madaket is California's oldest active passenger vessel and home to the state's smallest licensed bar. Beverages will be available for purchase on board. Registrants will meet at the Madaket loading dock at the foot of C Street in Old Town Eureka. Tickets must be purchased in advance online at godwitdays.org. The cost is \$50, with proceeds supporting the 2026 Godwit Days festival. Don't forget your binoculars and camera, and dress in layers to prepare for possible cool breezes and changing coastal weather!

Learn of Butcher Slough's past, present and future

FRIENDS IF THE ARCATA MARSH
ARCATA – On Wednesday, July 2, join Humboldt Waterkeeper staff members Jennifer Kalt and Sylvia van Royen for a free presentation titled "Butcher Slough: Past, Present and Future."

Their one-hour talk is part of the First Wednesday Lecture Series sponsored by Friends of the Arcata Marsh (FOAM). The event will be held at the Arcata Marsh Interpretive Center starting at 7 p.m., followed by a Q&A session, and carried live on Zoom at humboldt-state.zoom.us/j/88248246788?pwd=AuQSlOmC4Zwq4hzWctLzTySkjKujY.1#success.

Originally a travel route for Wiyot people canoeing to and from Arcata Prairie, Butcher Slough was converted into an industrial area that up until the 1980s was dominated by lumber and plywood mills.

Today it is a restored tidal slough channel lined with salt marshes and popular trails, but the toxic legacy of the industrial era remains.

In 2023, the City of Arcata teamed up with Humboldt Waterkeeper to secure a Brownfields grant from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to explore the extent of contamination on the site, with a goal of removing contamination



tion to restore the ecological health of the slough.

The talk will cover the history of Butcher Slough, Waterkeeper's work with the city to address the timber industry's toxic legacy and the implications of sea level rise in the not-so-distant future.

Humboldt Waterkeeper (formerly Humboldt Baykeeper) was formed in 2004 as a nonprofit organization to safeguard our coastal resources for the health, enjoyment and economic strength of the Hum-

boldt Bay community through education, scientific research and enforcement of laws to fight pollution.

Jennifer is the organization's executive director and Sylvia is its GIS and policy analyst. Visit humboldtwaterkeeper.org for more information about its mission and current projects.

Approximately one week after the presentation, its recording will be available on FOAM's YouTube page, youtube.com/@foamfriendsofthearcatamars3798.

Volunteer Trail Stewards set Bay Trail workday

VOLUNTEER TRAIL STEWARDS
HUMBOLDT BAY – Saturday, June 28 is the official opening of the 4.2 mile section of the Bay Trail that will connect Arcata and Eureka.

Although the formal celebration is scheduled from 3 to 6 p.m., activities take place all day, including a Volunteer Trail Stewards workday from 9 a.m. to noon.

Volunteers will clear brush and berries, remove invasive plants and pick up trash on the mile-and-a-half stretch of the Bay Trail just north of the new trail. Meet at 9 a.m. in the parking lot north of the City of Arcata Corporation Yard (park at the main Marsh parking lot

on South G Street and walk over or ride your bicycle).

This is an area of the trail that has not often gotten much attention and it will be a great opportunity to recruit new volunteers from those using the trail on the day of the new trail section opening.

VTs supplies the tools. Bring your own gloves if you have them (VTS has some extras) and water. All are welcome. Then enjoy a sandwich bar at noon.

Please RSVP (or direct any questions) to hughes@humboldt.edu if you plan to attend to help manage an adequate tool and food supply. If you are a cyclist, consider riding your bicycle to the meeting spot and then cycling to the work area.

Trail | A huge project, a multitude of supporters and a day-long celebration

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About the Humboldt Bay Trail South
Completion of the Humboldt Bay Trail between Eureka and Arcata along the Humboldt Bay shoreline has been a regional priority for nearly 25 years.
The Humboldt Bay Trail South project includes the "final four" miles of trail between the Bracut Industrial Park and the Eureka Waterfront Trail.
The completed trail will provide an alternative to vehicular travel between Eureka and Arcata with tremendous views and up-close experiences of

Humboldt Bay.
Most of the new trail segment is situated between the railroad and U.S. Highway 101, with a one-mile portion situated on top of the levee around the Brainard Mill site.
In addition to serving the region's transportation needs and enhancing coastal access, the Humboldt Bay Trail will achieve a critical link in the California Coastal Trail and advance the Great Redwood Trail.
The Humboldt County Department of Public Works began construction of the Humboldt Bay Trail South Project in

June 2023.
The project's prime contractor was Arcata-based McCullough Construction.
Construction management services were provided by Ghirardelli Associates, with engineering support from GHD, Inc. Funding for construction has been provided by the California Transportation Commission's Active Transportation Program, California State Coastal Conservancy and Caltrans District 1.
The overall Humboldt Bay Trail is being developed as a collaborative effort between

the County of Humboldt, Humboldt County Association of Governments, City of Arcata, City of Eureka, California Department of Transportation, California State Coastal Conservancy, Great Redwood Trail Agency, Humboldt Trails Council, Redwood Community Action Agency, Timber Heritage Association and other partners.
Additional information is available at humboldtbaytrail.info.
Organizers and supporters of the Humboldt Bay Trail Grand Opening Celebration planning include the Coalition for Re-

sponsible Transportation Priorities (CRTP), Great Redwood Trail Agency, Redwood Community Action Agency (RCAA), Humboldt Trails Council, Ink People Center for the Arts, Humboldt County Association of Governments (HCAOG), County of Humboldt, City of Eureka, City of Arcata, Bike Month Humboldt Coalition, Friends of the Eel River, Humboldt Waterkeeper, Environmental Protection Information Center (EPIC), Humboldt Bay Bicycle Commuters Association, Redwood Coast Energy Authority and Mir de Silva.

HUMBOLDT CRABS

Tristan Giacomini, Bat Boy

It's an important job. Those bats get thrown after the batter connects and someone has to run out and pick them up.

That would be a bat boy or girl. The crowd loves them and will call out, "Bat Boy, Bat Boy!" in unison.

Tristan Giacomini is, as one boardmember described him, "our always ready bat boy." He has scheduled dates as an official bat boy, for sure, but he's always at the park, hanging with his dad, Assistant Coach Jeff Giacomini.

"He's always ready," Mary Elle Barthman said. "If another bat boy or girl can't come or doesn't show up, he jumps right in."

For parents who want to sign up their prospective bat boy or girl, the Crabs website gives directions:

"Bat persons must be at least nine years old and have a basic knowledge of baseball. A helmet and jersey will be provided. Email CrabsSpecialEvents@gmail.com with top three dates and contact info."

Tristan started his career in the park at age five. He would walk around with a black trash bag, collecting trash and aluminum cans from folks in the bleachers. The combination of an adorable face and the convenience of not having to clamber down the bleacher seats endeared him to fans.

That first season he made almost "four hundred dollars," he said.

Matt Filar, board member and the *Union's* hard-working photographer, said, "I figured he'd

be a Fortune 500 tycoon by the time he was 10."

Tristan was six the first time he bat boyed. He's 10 now and does a great job often. He's a fan favorite, with his spiffy uniform

and matching shoes. "It's pretty fun," he said. "My dad coaches for the Crabs so I'm in the dugout every day and I go on the



Tristan Giacomini.

JANINE VOLKMAR | CRAB GAB road with them."

He attends Jacoby Creek School and his sports are, ready for a long list? Baseball, basketball, football, soccer, track, cross country and golf. He likes riding electric scooters, "on the bike paths and I wear a helmet," he added.

Tristan's younger sister, Sophia, threw out the first pitch on the day I interviewed him.

"She did a good job," he said, "and she did a cartwheel too."

Tristan's favorite food at the ball park is pretzels with cheese.

So whether it is Tristan or another eager bat boy or girl, don't forget to applaud their efforts.

Crabs bring the fight down south

Richard LaPreziosa

MAD RIVER UNION

ARCATA – The pride of the county, the Humboldt Crabs left the comforts of home to take their first road trip of the year, and start league play in the Pacific Empire League, in which they are in their second year. Right off the bat they were faced with the task of visiting the team (might I say biggest rival?) that has given them more problems than any other team in recent memory, the dreaded Healdsburg Prune Packers.

On Tuesday night, Healdsburg took control in the early, and by the fifth inning, they had all they needed, eleven runs. The Crabs would try to keep pace, and posted six runs, a decent number for the game, but not enough as the Prune Packers got the win.

But the Crabs came to play on this road trip, and in the ninth inning Wednesday night, when it looked as if another game would slip through their grasp, they found their fight. Trailing 3-2, The Crabs, through a series of singles and walks, were able to tie the game when Cameron Sewell hit a sacrifice fly. Then Crabs RBI leader Adam Enyart put them ahead with a single that scored two runs, and Humboldt would go on to tie the series.

The Crabs would show fight in Thursday night's match, jumping out to an early two-run lead. But the first-place Prune Packers would take the lead back enroute to a 10-5 victory.

And so the Crabs would

roll down to McBean Stadium, in Lincoln California, to play the Potters, a colorful team with a cool stadium, flashy uniforms, and a peacock for a mascot. Friday night's game saw the teams locked in a 2-2 tie when Michael Perazzo scored and gave Humboldt a 3-1 lead. But Lincoln was able to answer back and tie the game again and so they went to the 11th inning.

Centerfielder Timmy Reed would play Humboldt hero by ripping a double into left field, scoring two runs and giving the Crabs a 5-3 lead, which they would hold on to for the win.

The Crabs would go on to lose Saturday night's match up by a score of 8-5. This would put them at two wins and three losses on the road trip. If they could find a way to win the Sunday night's game, they would return home at three and three, an impressive record for road games against two top teams in the league.

And win they would, unleashing a relentless

offensive display in which 15 hits brought in 14 runs. Adam Enyart drove in four of those runs and 1st baseman Tate Medico went deep with a home run, contributing to the win.

Pitcher Max Hippensteel stymied the Potters in a relief appearance with a deadly curve ball, the kind that just makes batters look silly. He pitched just over three innings and sent 8 batters walking back to the dugout after

striking them out, only giving up one hit.

The final score was 15-8 Crabs, evening the record for the road trip and sending them home to Humboldt with the knowledge that they can compete with any team in the Pacific Empire League.

Both the Potters and the Prune Packers are scheduled to visit the Arcata Ball Park soon, giving the Crabs a chance to capture the first-place flag. So watch out for those games. They are not to be missed.

UPCOMING GAMES:

Wednesday, June 25 at 7 p.m.

Chico Lone Wolves

Friday, June 27 at 7 p.m.

Lincoln Potters

Saturday, June 28 at 6:30 p.m.

Lincoln Potters

Sunday, June 29 at 12:30 p.m.

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Tuesday, July 1 at 7 p.m.

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100TH HOLY GHOST FESTIVAL

ROYAL GENERATIONS 2025 and 2024 queens and their court, and past queen-sin attendance at the 100th Year Holy Ghost Festival. PHOTOS BY TONY GONSALVES

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ARCATA – Arcata’s Portuguese community celebrated its 100th Year Holy Ghost Festival June 13 through 15, with feasting, dancing, the crowning of queens, worship and a parade from the Postuguese Hall to St. Mary’s Church.

On Friday, June 13, The evening began with a rosary, followed by a fish fry dinner. After dinner, everyone enjoyed music and dancing with music provided by Victor Silva.

On Saturday, June 14, he night began with a ro-sary, then a traditional beans and linguça dinner followed by more music



Ayra Avelar 2025 Queen, and her court

and dancing.

That evening, 2025 Queens Bria Ferreira and Ayra Avelar were named.



Bria Ferreira, 2025 Queen, and her court .

Sunday, June 15 kicked off with the traditional Holy Ghost parade ,leaving Portuguese Hall and heading to St. Mary’s Church for Mass. After Mass, the parade returnedto the hall for a traditional sopas lunch and a historic group photo.

Said Mike Fraga, “The Portuguese people brought this tradition from there homeland every village would have there celebration of the crown on Pentecost Sunday, which is seven weeks after Easter in Arcata we have it on Trinity Sunday. One of our paternal organizations in Arcata started on July 30, 1910 at that time for sure they were celebrating the feast of the Holy Spirit or hall, was built in 1916 to have an actual place to celebrate.”



DOG PLAY AFTERNOON

RIBBON ROMP The new Valley West Dog Park got the red ribbon treatment last wrek, featuring the Arcata Chamber of Commerce, City Council plus doggies and their human companions. Located at 1340 Hallen Dr. in Arcata, the park features include a fenced off area for off-leash dogs, a doggie drinking fountain and a bench/ADA access pad. Funding for the Valley West Dog Park was made possible by the City of Arcata’s General Fund. City Parks staff led the development of the park amenities and equipment while Miller Farms Nursery assisted with fencing. For more information, visit cityofarcata.org or call (707) 822-8184.

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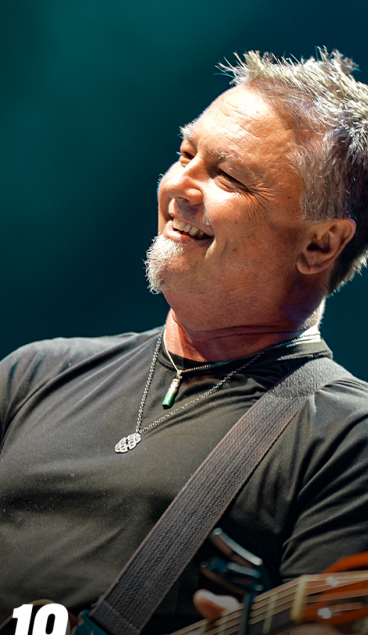
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Advice on trying to make it all make sense, if that’s possible

The big selloff

Did you know that the U.S. Senate version of the so called “Big Beautiful Bill” working its way through Congress, has a section called “Mandatory Disposal of Bureau of Land Management and National Forest System Land for Housing?”

These lands, which include 258 million acres, will be “disposed of” by competitive sale, auction or other options to the highest bidder. This is a proposal by Republican Senator Mike Lee from Utah. There is no requirement to report these sales to the public.

The list of eligible states includes California with 16 million acres of area, some near Lake Tahoe, Yosemite, Mt. Shasta and Big Sur. To carry out this plan it will cost more than \$10 million. The Senate is trying to pass this bill by July 4th before a potential financial shortfall to help pass the “Big Beautiful Bill.”

Most Americans who love camping and hiking “from the Redwood Forests to the Gulf Stream waters” are not aware of this section in the bill intended to sell public lands.

Is this the right way to try to balance the federal budget, by selling off our lands?

To all of you who love our public lands and want them to remain accessible to the public, please contact your congressperson and senators to tell them this is a terrible idea with long-lasting and negative consequences. These lands belong to all of us, not just the wealthy nor the corporations.

To contact Congressman Huffman go to huffman.house.gov. For Senator Pa-

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dilla go to padilla.senator.gov and for Senator Schiff, schiff.senator.gov.

Dana Utman Arcata

With privilege comes responsibility

In Boulder, Colorado, an antisemitic attack left 12 people burned after a man targeted a peaceful gathering for the return of Israeli hostages, later telling investigators he wished all Zionists were dead. He now faces federal hate crime charges.

When Jews are targeted in acts of violence — under the guise of political activism — it threatens not only Jewish communities, but the moral clarity of society as a whole.

Fear is a natural response. But fear alone cannot define how we respond.

Last week, Jewish communities around the world celebrated Shavuot — the holiday marking the giving of the Torah at Mount Sinai, 3,337 years ago. At Sinai, the Jewish people weren’t simply given laws — they were given a mission: to inspire and uplift the world.

In times like these, it’s tempting to retreat. To disconnect. To live smaller, expect less, and carry less.

G-d created this world and appointed each of us as stewards of His creation. That is no small task. It is a sacred privilege — and with it comes great responsibility.

Responsibility to bring light where

others bring darkness.

To stand firm where others falter.

To act with integrity, even when fear presses in.

That’s not always easy. But that’s where meaning is found.

Every small act of kindness, every courageous word, every step toward justice — these are quiet revolutions. They are the building blocks of a better world.

So yes, this moment is hard. But it is also holy.

Let’s respond not by closing our eyes, but by opening our hearts. By learning more Torah, doing more mitzvot, and increasing in acts of goodness and kindness.

Let’s remember: we are not alone. We walk this road together. And the values we hold — truth, compassion, and human dignity — light the path forward.

With privilege comes responsibility. And with responsibility comes the power to shape the world for good. May we heed Zechariah’s pleas: “Render true and perfect justice in your gates, not a single one of you shall contrive evil against another.”

May we soon see a world where peace and justice are not dreams, but our shared reality.

Rabbi Eliyahu Cowen
Chabad of Humboldt
Arcata

What, no common sense?

President Trump commented recently that targeting California farming and hospitality workers for deportation left these industries “hurt badly” by the loss

of reliable workers. He felt the workers had been mostly taken because they don’t have “maybe what they’re supposed to have” and he feared their replacements would be criminals.

To solve this, Trump noted there would be an order “pretty soon I think” to help these industries. “We’re going to have to use a lot of common sense on that,” he added.

I couldn’t believe Trump had decided to apply common sense to anything based on prior actions. For example: DOGE indiscriminately cutting critical positions in agencies that then required refilling or Trump’s disastrous cabinet appointments. But not to worry, almost immediately common sense disappeared.

Trump’s prospective order was superseded as ICE instructed agents to continue with raids as usual at all worksite locations. From ICE: “These operations target illegal employment networks that undermine American workers, destabilize labor markets and expose critical infrastructure to exploitation.”

Notice there is no specific mention of catching criminals because they’re not. As CNN reported, 75 percent of those captured from 1 October 2024 through 25 May 2025 were only guilty of minor infractions while less than 10 percent had a record of serious crimes such as murder and rape which is supposed to be the rationale for the entire operation.

I think it’s clear from all this that the Trump administration has little need for common sense because it would merely impede its authoritarian goals.

Sherman Schapiro
Eureka

A provocative play, incredible actors, an amazing band and more

Did you know that in ancient China, doctors were paid all the time as long as you stayed healthy? As soon as you got sick, you stopped paying them.

That makes no economic sense. It turns the whole paradigm on its head. That would make it all about being healthy (conversation between two characters in *Love’s The Best Doctor*).

Love’s the Best Doctor was originally written in 1665 by famed French playwright Moliere.

Michael Fields has once again brought the premise of a play into today’s realm of reality. He is the director and playwright/adaptor of this zany, fun



❖ BLUE LAKE BLURP
Marvin Samuels

romp that is the showcase event of this year’s Dell’Arte Baduwa’t Festival.

Fields stated, “Commedia Dell’Arte is meant to be provocative and reference the moment in time in which it is performed. And that is what I have tried to do with this adaption, including an infomercial for Bumwallop, a new medication that will lower your A1C, stop diabetes, and keep your weight off (yes... there are side effects). This play could be ripped from today’s headlines, especially in its presentation of our medical system. Dysfunction would be too kind a description, even though we are lucky to have many generous,

excellent medical practitioners in Humboldt County.”

Featuring stethoscopes galore, a cast of incredible actors, the amazing band of Marla Joy, Tim Randles, Jeff Kelley and Mike LaBolle — and even some pampered cats with their own inner monologues — *Love’s The Best Doctor* will be performed Friday through Sunday at 8 p.m. at Dell Arte’s Rooney Amphitheater through July 6 (no show on July 4). Purchase tickets at delarte.com

The Starving Artist Gallery, located in the Dell’Arte building will showcase two great artists through June 29.

Nancy Jioras a wire-wrap artist for over 25 years and award-winning photographer, Rod Jioras will have their first joint show. The gallery will be open from 5 to 7:30 p.m. so that



FIELDS’ FUN HOUSE Michael Fields fills Dell’Arte’s outdoor stage with *Love’s the Best Doctor* through July 6. KLH | UNION

people coming to *Love’s The Best Doctor* can check out some amazing art.

The Starving Artist Gallery is also open by appointment by calling (707) 588-8007.

Summer is now officially here. Come enjoy Blue Lake’s town square. Want to get wet and wild — cool yourself off at the splash pad — fun for all ages (no IDs required).

Cure climate despair with connection and immediate action

My last interview is with Professor Jack Murphy, lecturer in biology and environmental studies at Cal Poly Humboldt and continues in part 2.

I took a class in climate change from him in 2022 and soon after decided I would like to interview local people to find out what others might be doing about climate change. Perhaps, I thought, they could teach us something about what we might do to get involved and provide us hope. After 2 ½ years of interviews I learned that there are many local Humboldt citizens who have decided to make a difference, often without much compensation. My appreciation goes out to every one of them, as well as the *Mad River Union* for allowing me to publish them. This interview is edited for clarity and length.



❖ CLIMATE CHANGE AND YOU
Dana Utman

Dana Utman: The Arctic Boreal Zone is warming and becoming no longer a terrestrial carbon dioxide sink but more neutral, meaning that with increased global temperatures it will no longer be able to store carbon dioxide as much as it has. Will this trend continue and what effect will this have on the planet?

Jack Murphy: It will have a profound impact, and I’m very concerned about this. One aspect of greenhouse gas emissions, that is under study for the arctic and subarctic, is also the permafrost that lies in the soils below. There’s a lot of carbon locked up in that permafrost. As you point out, warming is increasing more rapidly in northern areas than anywhere else on the planet. One of the consequences of the thawing of the permafrost is that it emits not only carbon dioxide in the atmosphere, but methane gas [as well]. Methane gas varies from 50 to 100 times more [powerful] on a molecular basis than carbon dioxide. It’s a much more pronounced gas at least in

the short term. In the meantime, scientists are monitoring those methane emissions. There’s some recent technology that’s going to improve that monitoring. It’s something to be carefully watched as we go forward.

What are your thoughts on how the Humboldt Bay area is dealing with climate change?

[The Humboldt Bay area has the fastest rate of sea level rise on the west coast because tectonic activity is causing the ground beneath the bay to sink while the ocean is rising.]

Many of my students are super alarmed about sea level rise. We can find out which places are most at risk and start taking proactive action. People are doing that throughout the whole county. They’re paying attention to this, and they’re actually starting to make [a difference].

What about oyster farming? I wonder about the bay possibly heating up by an average of 3°C over the next 70 years. Won’t that introduce some new disease vectors that could wreak havoc on the local oyster farmers?

I don’t know. Seventy years is a long time from now. Before the fresh water enters the bay there’s the saltwater marsh interface which is really good for salmon. So they lay their eggs [in streams and are called *alevin*] which hatch [called fry]. They [fry] will come down from the streams [and are called smolts] before they go out to sea. The salmon are going to hang out in these little saltwater marshes until they get big enough to run away from sharks. Sea level rise is going to subtract from that saltwater/freshwater marsh interface. The fisheries are going to have to adjust. Now that’s got me concerned. I don’t know if there’s anything that can be done about it. Evolution is a pretty amazing thing. They’ll probably survive somehow, but they’re going to

have some issues.

Warmer waters is another thing that’s bad for marine systems. The change in pH [ocean acidification takes place as pH lowers] is a consequence of the carbon dioxide gas emissions by people. It makes it harder for organisms with shells, such as oysters, because they are made of calcium carbonate. We’ve been able to actually measure the thinning of oyster shells as the water becomes more acidic, and that’s dependent on temperature, a different variable. So that’s concerning for shellfish farms in particular. Water is warming up and that causes coral bleaching, which causes the death of coral. That’s going to affect lots of species, and people depend upon them. There are vast areas, especially tropical and subtropical islands where coral is a really important part of the ecosystem.

Warming of the ocean is not equal. The summer temperatures in the Gulf of Mexico over the last couple of years are ridiculously high which will make hurricanes stronger, and that’s going to hurt people.

What would you like to see take place locally and on a global scale about climate change?

Just stop emitting greenhouse gases right now. We can do that if we just stop driving gas powered cars. We can generate all our electricity from renewable sources like wind power. The best way for people to use our things, whether it’s your toaster or your car or whatever, is to use electricity. Society is moving slowly towards solutions to electrify everything.

I have an electric lawn mower now and one thing I really like about it, besides the fact that it’s not gas powered, is it’s much easier to take care of.

My wife and I bought an electric car. There’s a couple of things the car makers don’t [mention] about electric cars that I think could be used for marketing. They accelerate fast, you never have to



Jack Murphy

go to the gas station again or get your oil changed. It’s also better for your health because you’re not breathing in fumes.

So what else can individuals do now to help with climate change?

Keep the faith. Don’t fall into that black hole of despair. It’s not a good place to be. First of all, we don’t really know what’s going to happen. There might be some technological fix, or maybe this time we just got it all wrong. We don’t really know. If you are the kind of person who is service oriented and cares about the world, get in touch with other people and organizations who are also concerned. Do something about it, even something small. Go to those city meetings and listen to what they say. Give constructive suggestions on how we can do things better. I would reach out to other people that do what you’re doing. I’m facing retirement and I’m going to continue to conserve and live the right life as well as I can.

I think action helps overcome despair because people will feel they’re doing something to help. You can walk around wringing your hands but if you don’t do anything about it you’re just not going to feel better.

When I have a cold I eat chicken soup. As you say, action is one of those medicines for despair. I really appreciate you spending the time talking with me. I think it’s a great way for me to end this project I’ve been working on [writing these articles].

You’re welcome Dana! Thanks for the outreach, it was fun.

Correction from part 1: “... a century of foreign business management in the West” should have been “a century of business management in the West.”

Twenty-five years ago, people could be excused for not knowing much, or doing much, about climate change. Today we have no excuse. — Desmond Tutu

Budget

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Carlson Park improvements, encampment and illegal dumping cleanup, nuisance abatement, FlahVote polling, planning for the Valley West Community Center and more.

Some projects have been stalled or reduced. The Re-connecting Arcata land bridge project has no funding in this year's budget, and its future is uncertain. Tenant-based rental assistance through the HOME program is being eliminated at the federal level, effectively raising rent for many Arcata seniors and others.

The budget was the result of a three-month process, including public workshops and study sessions held in April and May. Councilmembers shaped the final version by incorporating feedback from residents and aligning spending with the city's 2025–26 goals and priority projects.

Executive and legislative departments saw modest increases, while finance and planning saw upticks reflective of ex-

Fiscal Year 2025-26 proposed appropriations comparison to prior year adopted budget

	Proposed Budget FY 2025-26	Proposed Budget FY 2024-25	\$ Difference	% Difference
Legislative	\$ 868,514	\$ 638,467	\$ 230,047	36.0%
Executive	1,332,564	1,277,703	54,861	4.3%
Legal	345,000	371,000	(26,000)	-7.0%
Finance	1,112,463	1,062,756	49,707	4.7%
Police	9,076,667	8,525,444	551,223	6.5%
Public Works	4,726,338	4,495,101	231,237	5.1%
Parks & Rec	2,465,306	3,857,758	(1,392,452)	-36.1%
Planning & Develop	1,928,599	1,780,138	148,461	8.3%
Non-Departmental	2,738,945	2,333,600	405,345	17.4%
Debt Service	74,462	74,539	(77)	-0.1%
Total General Fund	\$ 24,668,858	\$ 24,416,506	\$ 252,352	1.0%
Legislative	\$ -	\$ 20,000	\$ (20,000)	-100.0%
Police	25,000	519,233	(494,233)	-95.2%
Public Works	30,447,528	9,742,059	20,705,469	212.5%
Parks & Rec	487,526	1,213,475	(725,949)	-59.8%
Planning & Develop	6,109,693	4,023,266	2,086,427	51.9%
Enterprise Funds:				
Water	18,293,144	11,120,608	7,172,536	64.5%
Wastewater	24,969,564	28,718,392	(3,748,828)	-13.1%
Solid Waste	804,824	656,754	148,070	22.5%
Transportation	-	1,566,203	(1,566,203)	-100.0%
Stormwater	1,101,161	1,049,170	51,991	5.0%
Internal Service Funds:				
Central Garage	2,122,358	3,252,839	(1,130,481)	-34.8%
IT Services & Maintenance	824,575	660,025	164,550	24.9%
Non-Departmental	891,169	648,230	242,939	37.5%
Total Other Funds	\$ 86,076,542	\$ 63,190,254	\$ 22,886,288	36.2%
Total City Funds	\$ 110,745,400	\$ 87,606,760	\$ 23,138,640	26.4%

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panded economic and administrative activity.

The adopted spending plan remains under the city's legal appropriations cap, known as the Gann Limit, which was set at just over \$22 million.

Resolution No. 245-53, which formalizes the adoption of the budget, goes into effect on July 1. Budget adjustments may be made throughout the year in accordance with Arcata's fiscal policies.

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– 3,260 square feet, with a \$4,000 tax debt – and described the holder as “clearly a family operation.”

It's in Redwood Valley, which Johnson said has “suffered a degrading road” and has a school that closed, as “pretty much the entire community has moved out because of cannabis legalization and over-taxation.”

Adding that “we were coming to the board from the beginning, saying ‘this isn't working, we need help,’” Johnson implored supervisors to “listen with both ears” when cultivators tell them Measure S is “not working.”

There was discussion about what happens when farms go out of business.

Supervisor Rex Bohn said he's gotten calls from realtors trying to sell properties with Measure S debts and abatement issues.

Planning Director John Ford said the county regularly works with realtors and buyers to resolve those issues.

Bohn vouched for that approach, comparing cannabis farming to other financially-challenged resource industries.

“Anything we can do to help keep that segment of the business, kind of like what we tried to do with logging and with fishing,” he said. “We're a resource-based county, no way around it so as we go forward, we should do anything we can to help.”

Supervisors voted to revoke eight debt-saddled permits due to non-response from their owners and to hold off on revoking the one in the process of being transferred.

They also directed staff to return with an agenda item on extending the county's payment plan program.

The vote was unanimous, with Board Chair Michelle Bushnell absent due to illness.

Ford estimated that 20 to 30 more tax debt revocations will be brought to supervisors by the end of the year.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 25-00326

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

BRITZING LLC

25 GLENDALE DR. MCKINLEYVILLE, CA 95519

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

BRITZING LLC 202357810117

25 GLENDALE DR. MCKINLEYVILLE, CA 95519

This business is conducted by:

A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

INGER AVERY, AGENT/MANAGING PARTNER

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on JUNE 18, 2025

JUAN P. CERVANTES JR/DEPUTY CLERK

6/25, 7/2, 7/9, 7/16

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 25-00316

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

BLUSIREN SERVICES

363 RAILROAD AVENUE

FIELDS LANDING, CA 95537-0363

PO BOX 363, FIELDS LANDING, CA 95537-0363

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

363 RAILROAD AVENUE

FIELDS LANDING, CA 95537-0363

This business is conducted by:

AN INDIVIDUAL

APRIL COBB, OWNER

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on JUNE 11, 2025

JUAN P. CERVANTES JR/DEPUTY CLERK

6/25, 7/2, 7/9, 7/16

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 25-00297

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

HUMBOLDT CIDER COMPANY

2901 HUBBARD LANE EUREKA, CA 95501

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

C. ASHDON CIDER INCORPORATED

3626835

2901 HUBBARD LANE EUREKA, CA 95501

This business is conducted by:

A CORPORATION,

MICHELLE CARTLEDGE

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on JUNE 5, 2025

JUAN P. CERVANTES JR/DEPUTY CLERK

6/25, 7/2, 7/9, 7/16

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 25-00264

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

NEXT GENERATION WIRELESS TODAY

1095 S FORTUNA BLVD, STE D FORTUNA, CA 95540

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

PO BOX 188 CEDAR FALLS, IA 50613

NEXT GENERATION WIRELESS, INC.

IA B20250094791

215 1/2 MAIN STREET CEDAR FALLS, IA 50613

This business is conducted by:

A CORPORATION,

WILLIAM BRADFORD, OWNER

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on MAY 21, 2025

JUAN P. CERVANTES JR/DEPUTY CLERK

6/18, 6/25, 7/2, 7/9

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 25-00315

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

PIT OF PARADISE

480 PATRICKS POINT DR

TRINIDAD, CA 95570

990 MYERS RD MCKINLEYVILLE, CA 95519

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

RICHARD J SOUDAN

480 PATRICKS POINT DR

TRINIDAD, CA 95570

This business is conducted by:

AN INDIVIDUAL,

RICHARD J SOUDAN, OWNER

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on JUNE 11, 2025

JUAN P. CERVANTES SC/DEPUTY CLERK

6/18, 6/25, 7/2, 7/9

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 25-00302

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

MOON TREE 3D

2334 CYPRESS AVE. EUREKA, CA 95503

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

GARY J. CREASON

2334 CYPRESS AVE. EUREKA, CA 95503

VALERIE L. CREASON

2334 CYPRESS AVE. EUREKA, CA 95503

This business is conducted by:

A MARRIED COUPLE

S/JGARY CREASON, CO-OWNER

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on JUNE 6, 2025

JUAN P. CERVANTES JR/DEPUTY CLERK

6/18, 6/25, 7/2, 7/9

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 25-00287

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

HUMBOLDT PETROLEUM SERVICES

4427 CEDAR ST. EUREKA, CA 95503

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

JACIE L. HAKE

4427 CEDAR ST. EUREKA, CA 95503

This business is conducted by:

AN INDIVIDUAL

S/JACIE HAKE, OWNER

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on MAY 29, 2025

JUAN P. CERVANTES JC/DEPUTY CLERK

6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 25-00280

The following person(s) is (are) doing business

as:

LOUISE ZULEGER CONFECTIONS

100 ERICSON CT. SUITE 155

ARCATA, CA 95521

2299 1/2 BALDWIN ST. ARCATA, CA 95521

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

KEVIN W. SMITH

100 ERICSON CT. SUITE 155

ARCATA, CA 95521

This business is conducted by:

AN INDIVIDUAL

S/KEVIN SMITH, OWNER

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on May 21, 2025

JUAN P. CERVANTES JC/DEPUTY CLERK

6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 25-00268

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

WOODLAND COMPANY

1271 EVERGREEN RD. #701

REDWAY, CA 95560

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

***PERPETUA LLC CA202565519599**

1271 EVERGREEN RD. #701

REDWAY, CA 95560

This business is conducted by:

A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

S/SARAH MURRAY, MANAGING MEMBER OF PERPETUA LLC*

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on May 21, 2025

JUAN P. CERVANTES SC/DEPUTY CLERK

6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CHRISTOPHER JOHN PULKKA

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

CASE NO. CV2501098

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

A. Present name: **CHRISTOPHER JOHN PULKKA**

A. To Proposed name: **KYRS MCKASSON**

2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court, located at 825 5th Street, Eureka, California, at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the application should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

Date: July 11, 2025

Time: 8:30 a.m.

Dept.: 4

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CITATION FOR PUBLICATION UNDER WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS CODE SECTION 294

Case Name: **RYAN RISLING AKA BABY BOY MOSIER**

Case No. **JV170042**

1. To: **SHERRI MOSIER**, and anyone claiming to be a parent of Ryan Risling, AKA Baby Boy Mosier, born on 02/22/2017, at Mad River Hospital, Arcata, CA.

2. A hearing will be held on August 19, 2025, at 8:30 a.m. in Dept. 7 located at Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, CA 95501, Juvenile Division, 2nd floor.

3. At the hearing the court will consider the recommendations of the social worker or probation officer.

4. The social worker or probation officer will recommend that your child be freed from your legal custody so that the child may be adopted. If the court follows the recommendation, all your parental rights to the child will be terminated.

5. You have the right to be present at the hearing, to present evidence, and you have the right to be represented by an attorney. If you do not have an attorney and cannot afford to hire one, the court will appoint an attorney for you.

6. If the court terminates your parental rights, the order may be final.

7. The court will proceed with this hearing whether or not you are present.

ATTORNEY FOR: **CHILD WELFARE SERVICES**

SCOTT A. MILES, INTERIM COUNTY COUNSEL #262695

KATIE BACA, DEPUTY COUNTY COUNSEL #188031

825 FIFTH STREET EUREKA, CA 95501 (707) 445-7236

DATE: May 23, 2025

Meara Hatten, CEO, Clerk, by Antonia Devol-Alcala

6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25

CITATION FOR PUBLICATION UNDER WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS CODE SECTION 294

Case Name: **AUSTIN LYONS**

Case No. **JV2400142**

1. To: **DEJA LYONS**, and anyone claiming to be a parent of Austin Lyons, born on 08/25/2014, at St. Joseph Hospital, Eureka, CA.

2. A hearing will be held on September 03, 2025, at 8:30 a.m. in Dept. 7 located at Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, CA 95501, Juvenile Division, 2nd floor.

3. At the hearing the court will consider the recommendations of the social worker or probation officer.

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ATTORNEY FOR: **CHILD WELFARE SERVICES**

SCOTT A. MILES, INTERIM COUNTY COUNSEL #262695

KATIE BACA, DEPUTY COUNTY COUNSEL #188031

825 FIFTH STREET EUREKA, CA 95501 (707) 445-7236

DATE: May 23, 2025

Meara Hatten, CEO, Clerk, by Antonia Devol-Alcala

6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

CYNTHIA ROBIN LOWE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

CASE NO. CV2501122

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

A. Present name: **CYNTHIA ROBIN LOWE**

A. To Proposed name:

SAMMY YO MAMMY

2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court, located at 825 5th Street, Eureka, California, at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the application should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

Date: Aug. 1, 2025

Time: 8:30 a.m.

Dept.: 4

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3. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Mad River Union.

Date: May 29, 2025

Timothy A. Canning, Judge of the Superior Court

6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25

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Date: May 29, 2025

Timothy A. Canning, Judge of the Superior Court

6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25

CITATION FOR PUBLICATION UNDER WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS CODE SECTION 294

Case Name: **AUSTIN LYONS**

Case No. **JV2400142**

1. To: **DEJA LYONS**, and anyone claiming to be a parent of Austin Lyons, born on 08/25/2014, at St. Joseph Hospital, Eureka, CA.

2. A hearing will be held on September 03, 2025, at 8:30 a.m. in Dept. 7 located at Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, CA 95501, Juvenile Division, 2nd floor.

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7. The court will proceed with this hearing whether or not you are present.

ATTORNEY FOR: **CHILD WELFARE SERVICES**

SCOTT A. MILES, INTERIM COUNTY COUNSEL #262695

KATIE BACA, DEPUTY COUNTY COUNSEL #188031

825 FIFTH STREET EUREKA, CA 95501 (707) 445-7236

DATE: May 23, 2025

Meara Hatten, CEO, Clerk, by Antonia Devol-Alcala

6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

BRYAN OLEA GONZALEZ

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

CASE NO. CV2500575

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

A. Present name: **BRYAN OLEA GONZALEZ**

A. To Proposed name:

COUNSEL #262695

KATIE BACA, DEPUTY COUNTY COUNSEL #188031

825 FIFTH STREET EUREKA, CA 95501 (707) 445-7236

DATE: May 29, 2025

Meara Hatten, CEO, Clerk, by Antonia Devol-Alcala

6/18, 6/25, 7/2, 7/9

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

SHERRY LEE THOMSON-KING

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

CASE NO. CV2500708

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

A. Present name: **SHERRY LEE THOMSON-KING**

A. To Proposed name: **SHERRY LEE THOMSON**

2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court, located at 825 5th Street, Eureka, California, at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the application should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

Date: July 11, 2025

Time: 8:30 a.m.

Dept.: 4

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3. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Mad River Union.

Date: June 9, 2025

Timothy A. Canning, Judge of the Superior Court

6/18, 6/25, 7/2, 7/9

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF MARGARET MCDONALD CASE NO. PR2500167

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of:

MARGARET MCDONALD

A Petition for Probate has been filed by : **JOHN MCDONALD** in the Superior Court of California, County of HUMBOLDT.

The Petition for Probate requests that: **JOHN MCDONALD** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take any actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

BRYAN OLEA GONZALEZ

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

CASE NO. CV2500575

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

A. Present name: **BRYAN OLEA GONZALEZ**

A. To Proposed name:

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

A. Present name: **BRYAN OLEA GONZALEZ**

A. To Proposed name: **AYAN CABOT**

2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court, located at 825 5th Street, Eureka, California, at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the application should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

Date: July 11, 2025

Time: 8:30 a.m.

Dept.: 4

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6/18, 6/25, 7/2, 7/9

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certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows:

Date: July 3, 2025

Time: 9:30 a.m.

Dept.: CIV

Room: 4

Address of court: Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, CA, 95501.

COURT MAY BE CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC DUE TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC. PLEASE VISIT <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov> FOR INFORMATION ON HOW TO PARTICIPATE IN AN ONLINE VIDEO HEARING.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) **four months** from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) **60 days** from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. **Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.**

You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a formal Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

JUNE 12, 2025

JOHN MCDONALD

1886 IVERSON

ARCATA, CA 95521

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New One Village, Many Peoples Festival

PLAYHOUSE ARTS

McKINLEYVILLE – The One Village Many Peoples: Humboldt’s Multi-Cultural Festival takes place Saturday, July 5 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. in McKinleyville’s Pierson Park, followed by Get Down in Mack Town from 6 to 9 p.m.

Join us for the inaugural festival, an all-new extravaganza, bringing together music, dance, food, interactive art exhibits, workshops and traditions from around the world. Whether you were born here, or just arrived, this is your party. Dance, learn, explore and celebrate the beauty of community and connection!

Packed with fantastic cultural organizations, artists, and performers, this festival brings interactive components with free workshops and hands on demonstrations, plus live performances from myriad cultural groups and artists, including Arcata West African Dance and Drum, Black Humboldt, Ballet Folklorico, Bandemonium, Bertha Peters, Centro del Pueblo, Capoeira, Dr. Oop, Hip Hop Humboldt, Humboldt Taiko, Indigenous Habitat Institute, Makenu, Redwood Steel, Rocio Cristal Samba, Theresa Surbaugh, White Lotus Cultural Dancers, Yolteotl Danza Azteca and more!

Arcata West African Dance and Drum is a community group that studies traditional West African rhythms, and uses proceeds from community classes to bring Master African teachers to Humboldt County.

Ballet Folklorico de Humboldt Club is focused on sharing Mexican cultural heritage through dance with the goal of understanding and appreciating different cultures through dance, expression and celebration.

Black Humboldt will host their first multi-artist art installation, exploring the rich legacy of African roots and lineage throughout the African Diaspora. The installation is titled “Recalling our Roots: Stories of the Black and Afro Diaspora” and will offer an interactive visual and performance art experience that tells the story of Black ancestry. Throughout the day, attendees can engage with visual and performance artists, explore history lessons, browse a mini-library and archive tent and participate in a rotation of workshops.

Bertha Peters will lead an acorn processing and acorn soup making workshop.

Centro del Pueblo will host an embroidery workshop and a theater workshop in addition to presenting a street theater play.

The talented performers of Hip Hop Humboldt will host two shows with performances from a DJ, vocal performers, and a multicultural band.

Humboldt Taiko will both perform and lead group interactive workshops.

Learn with a Japanese traditional drumming (taiko) instructional workshop as well as a folk dancing (bon odori) workshop. Humboldt Taiko is a traditional Japanese drumming troupe that performs and provides instruction to share cultural traditions and expand awareness of this traditional art form.

Live performance by Humboldt’s premiere cumbia band, Makenu, a vibrant, psychedelic cumbia band that blends the traditional rhythms of cumbia with a wide array of modern influences. Formed in Humboldt County in 2021, the band unites musicians from Chile, Argentina, Peru, Puerto Rico and California, each bringing their unique musical background and energy to create an electrifying fusion that transcends borders and cultures.

After the festival, stick around for Get Down in Mack Town! – a karaoke and roller skating party. For more information and updates on the festival, visit playhousearts.org or find Playhouse Arts on Instagram and Facebook.

‘Homage’ series continues

ARCATA PLAYHOUSE

CREAMERY DISTRICT – The Arcata Playhouse hosts the second in the Creative Sanctuary’s “Homage to the Messengers” series Saturday June 28 at 7 p.m. This show will feature the beautiful compositions of Kenny Dorham, the great trumpeter and composer who Art Blakey referred to as “the uncrowned king.”

The “Homage” series is co-produced by trombonist James Zeller and drummer Ramsey Isaacs. They will be joined by more members of the Humboldt Jazz Collective: Matthew Seno on piano, Danny Gaon on bass and Tree (aka Keith Barry) on tenor and soprano saxophone.

The “Homage” concert will feature Dorham compositions from ballads like “La Mesha” to swinging tunes from the Jazz Messengers to repertoire from 1960s collaborations with the great Joe Henderson.

Trinidad Art Night: music, food, drink, skating

WESTHAVEN CENTER FOR THE ARTS

TRINIDAD – Trinidad Art Night, presented by Forbes & Associates – Sarah Corliss, produced by Westhaven Center for the Arts, takes place Saturday, June 28 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Featuring the Big 8 Band, with Paul DeMark, Justin Brown, Jeff Landen and Robert Franklin playing greasy New Orleans and Southern Grooves, at Saunders Park East, Ceo Irish Music with Blake Ritter, Alina Larson, and Chris Hinderyckx, at Moonstone Crossing, Bayside Music Collective at Seascap, and in Trinidad Town Hall is Seabury Gould with a Song Circle/ Eclectic Folk.

This town-wide walk includes a variety of art exhibits, live music, artist receptions, face painting, skate ramps, pop-up sales and oyster, cider, or wine tastings.

Call (707) 834-2479, or visit trinidadartnight.com.

- The Lighthouse Grill, 355 Main St.

Jeff Stanley, Acrylic paintings. Prints, Note Cards, and Books by: Susan Mayclin Stephenson and Jeff Stanley

- Saunders Plaza East (Bandstand) 355 Main St.

The Big 8 Band, with New Paul DeMark, Justin Brown, Jeff Landen and Robert Franklin playing greasy New Orleans and Southern Grooves. Sponsored by the businesses of Saunders Park. Face Painting by Jade Bamboo. Designs for all ages!

Headies Pizza and Pour, 359

Main St., Trinidad

Jimmy Callian, photography.

- Trinidad Museum, 400 Janis Court

Trinidad Museum Society presents “Luffenholtz Fish Camp-1950” exhibit, five rooms of new and permanent exhibits including Trinidad Eats and Drinks exhibit in Heritage Room.

- Beachcomber Café, 363 Trinity St.

Featuring local handcrafted jewelry by “Sunfish jewelry” by Ada Bavin and a local surf art installation by Red Eye Laboratories, (Sean Griggs). Offering seasonally inspired taco plates, housemade desserts, coffee, kids drinks, beer, wine and spritzers.

- Trinidad School, 300 Trinity St.: Skate Ramps!
- Trinidad Civic Club Room, 409 Trinity St. Event Information Station Special hours: 11 to 8 p.m.

Featuring a “Unique Boutique” in the Clubroom with art, jewelry, clothing/shoes, furniture, memorabilia, vintage and other items for sale to benefit the Memorial Light-house Monument. Also open on Sunday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

- Trinidad Town Hall, 409 Trinity St., 5:30 until 8 p.m.

Seabury Gould, Song Circle/ Eclectic Folk!

- Trinidad Art Gallery, 490 Trinity St.

Celebrating photographer Jim Lowry and woodworker Eric Christian. Enjoy Jim’s lovely local landscape pictures and Eric’s gorgeous cutting boards and kitchen tools.

Snacks will be provided, as will a wine pour benefiting Trinidad Coastal Land Trust. Trinidad Art Gallery is open daily, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

- Trinidad Bay Eatery & Gallery, 607 Parker St.

Artist is Gary Mullett. Gary’s art is multimedia, acrylic paint, 3-D and sometimes interactive. He focuses on the seaside and wetland scenes where his love of wildlife takes center stage.

Tap Takeover with Nate from Lost Coast Brewery. We are pulling some special beers from them that are not the “usual suspects.” Oyster bar.

- Moonstone Crossing, 529 Trinity St., noon to 7:30 p.m.

Oil paintings by Amanda Moret-tin. Music: 5:30 to 7:30 p.m: CEO Irish Music. Ceo (pronounced “kYOH”) = “fog/mist” in Irish Gaelic; Irish traditional dance music and songs with Blake Ritter (fiddle, concertina) and Alina Larson (uilleann pipes, whistles) and friends.

Pick from a variety of Moonstone Crossing wines hand-crafted in small quantities using traditional-style winemaking techniques. Enjoy tasting, with snacks or Dick Taylor chocolates.

- Seascap Restaurant and Pier, 1 Bay St., open 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

5 to 8 p.m., Bayside Music Collective with classic rock covers along with some crowd pleasing originals.

Featured artists: Zack Stanton, oil paintings; Ryan Teurfs, glass blowing; plus merchandise by Erica Ervin and Greta Daniels.

CRYS MATTHEWS performs Thursday, June 26 at the Arcata Playhouse, 1251 Ninth St., Arcata. Crys Matthews is an award-winning and prolific lyricist and composer now touring on the strength of her new album, *Reclamation*, Matthews blends country, Americana, folk, blues and bluegrass into a bold, complex performance steeped in traditional melodies punctuated by honest, original lyrics. Doors open at 7 p.m, show starts at 8 p.m. All ages. Tickets are \$20 in advance and at the door. (707) 822-1575, arcata-playhouse.org

THE CLAIRE BENT JAZZ QUARTET performs Thursday, June 26 at The Basement, 780 Seventh St., Jacoby’s Storehouse, Arcata. The Claire Bent Jazz Quartet plays jazz, funk and R&B dance tunes. Doors at 7:30 p.m., show at 8 p.m. 21 and over. (707) 645-2309, basementarcata.com

JEFF LANDEN performs Thursday, June 26 at the Logger, 510 Railroad Ave., Blue Lake. Local slide guitar virtuoso Jeff Landen shows off his repertoire. The show starts at 8 p.m. Show starts at 9 p.m. 21 and over. (707) 668-5000, loggerbar.com/events

THE JESSE MILLS BAND performs Thursday, June 26 at Mad River Taproom at 195 Taylor Way in Blue Lake. Experience the electrifying live show of the Jesse Mills Band for an unforgettable night of blues, groove and pure energy. Show at 6 p.m. All ages. (707) 668-4151, madriverebrewing.com

BELLS LARSEN performs



BALKAN MUSIC Musicians from Washington and Oregon will join local Humboldt bands for a night of Balkan dance music on Friday, June 27 starting at 7:30 p.m. at Synapsis, 1675 Union St. in Eureka. The evening is the annual Balkan Camp Sendoff, put on by the Humboldt Folk Dancers. This year’s Balkan Sendoff includes music from Greece, Bulgaria, Serbia, Romania and North Macedonia among others. The evening’s band lineup includes The Balkan Music Meetup, Chubritza, Balkan Misfits, Olaf and Friends and The Late Night Greek Band. No dance experience is necessary. Everyone is invited to join! Doors open at 7 p.m. Tickets are a \$10 donation, but no one will be turned away for lack of funds. humboldtfolk dancers.org. (707) 496-6734. SUBMITTED PHOTO

Friday, June 27 at Richard’s Goat, 401 I St., Arcata. Bells Larsen oscillates between lo-fi ’90s indie and searing folk ballads. Doors open at 6 p.m., show starts at 8:30 p.m. 21 and over. (707) 630-5000, richardsgoat.com

THE BUMP FOUNDATION performs Friday, June 27 at The Basement, 780 Seventh St., ground floor of Jacoby’s Storehouse, Arcata. The homegrown Bump Foundation plays originals and classics from funk, soul, jazz and rock ‘n’ roll. Doors at 8:30 p.m., show at 9 p.m. 21 and over. \$5 at the door. (707) 645-2309, basementarcata.com

ROLLAND ROCK performs Friday, June 27 at Six Rivers Brewery, 1300 Central Ave., McKinleyville. Humboldt

County’s original twangadelic sonic-bombastic Roland Rock, with cinematic hotrod instrumentals and quirky lyrics. Show starts at 6 p.m. All ages. (707) 839-7580, sixriversbrewery.com

THE BLACK SAGE RUNNERS performs Friday, June 27 at Mad River Taproom at 195 Taylor Way in Blue Lake. Piping hot guitar solos smothered with a generous helping of raucous drums, bass and wailing bluesy lyrics. Show at 6 p.m. All ages. (707) 668-4151, madriverebrewing.com

THE JESSE MILLS BAND performs Saturday, June 28 at the Humboldt Brewery, 856 10th St., Arcata. Humboldt County’s Jesse Mills Band is an original

blues rock power trio that delivers raw and soulful modern and classic blues with a rock edge. Doors open at 8 p.m, show at 8:30 p.m. 21 and over. Tickets are \$5 at the door. (707) 826-BREWS, humbrews.com

FROG BITE performs Saturday, June 28 at the Logger, 510 Railroad Ave., Blue Lake. A local band playing a combo of folk music and light rock ‘n’ roll. Show starts at 9 p.m. 21 and over. (707) 668-5000, loggerbar.com/events

ADAM HURLEY performs Saturday, June 28 at Mad River Taproom at 195 Taylor Way in Blue Lake. Solo acoustic music featuring originals, covers, stories and even bad jokes from the indomitable Adam Hurley. Show starts at 6 p.m. All ages. (707) 668-4151, madriverebrewing.com

HOME COOKIN’ performs on Saturday, June 28 as part of the summer music calendar on the outdoor stage at Fieldbrook Winery, 4241 Fieldbrook Rd. A range of musical favors with rock ‘n’ roll standards and original tunes from local legends Home Cookin’ (Joyce Hough, Fred Neighbor, Gary Davidson and Michael LaBolle). Noon. All ages. \$1. (707) 839-4140, fieldbrookwinery.com

YOUNG AND LOVELY performs Sunday, June 29 on the outdoor stage at Fieldbrook Winery, 4241 Fieldbrook Rd. Local jazzy and sultry quintet featuring the Penner siblings, Nate Zwierdling on stand-up bass and Mike Labolle on drums. Show starts at noon. All ages. \$1. (707) 839-4140, fieldbrookwinery.com

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